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Dear George:

Mouza and I very much appreciated your thoughtful note. It is one that I shall always cherish.

I sometimes think that the bond between shipmates is stronger than any other form of friendship, and I certainly feel a deep sense of pride for my association with you and the other wonderful people in the quartermaster gang on board the USS WISCONSIN.

Sincerely,

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